

House Resolution No. 4205

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives are delighted to honor an outstanding Missourian who has witnessed dramatic changes in America during her sojourn on this most precious earth; and

Whereas, Leona A. Mullen of Steelville, Missouri, will commemorate the resplendent occasion of her Ninety-fifth Birthday with a special celebration on October 5, 2004; and

Whereas, on October 5, 1909, in Leasburg, God brought a special gift to H.B. and Mary (Weber) Shroeder with the birth of an adorable infant by the name of Leona, who would put a twinkle in their eyes and fill their hearts with love and joy; and

Whereas, while celebrating her birthday, Leona Mullen will have the opportunity to reminisce about some of the significant events in her life such as her marriage on October 14, 1939, to John E. Mullen (deceased) and the births of their offspring; and

Whereas, God has blessed Leona Mullen with the love and affection of a wonderful family whose members include two children, Karen D. Cottrell and Rosemary C. Pope; her grandchildren, Holly Marie, Jullee Ann, Corey Warner, Colin Dillard, Karey Elizabeth, Erik John, Andrea Lynn, and Timothy Ryan; and her great-grandchildren, Jessica Ann, Brendan Robert, Riley, Hannah Mae, Cayman Rebecca, Trent Alexander, and Chase William; and

Whereas, at the respectful age of 95, Leona Mullen is extremely grateful for the countless blessings she has received throughout the course of her long and eventful life:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, unanimously join in extending our most hearty congratulations and special birthday greetings to Leona Mullen at this significant milestone and in wishing peace and contentment as she continues to enjoy her golden years; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Leona Mullen, as a measure of our esteem for her.

Offered by _____
Representative Frank Barnitz
District No. 150

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 4205, adopted October 4, 2004.

Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker